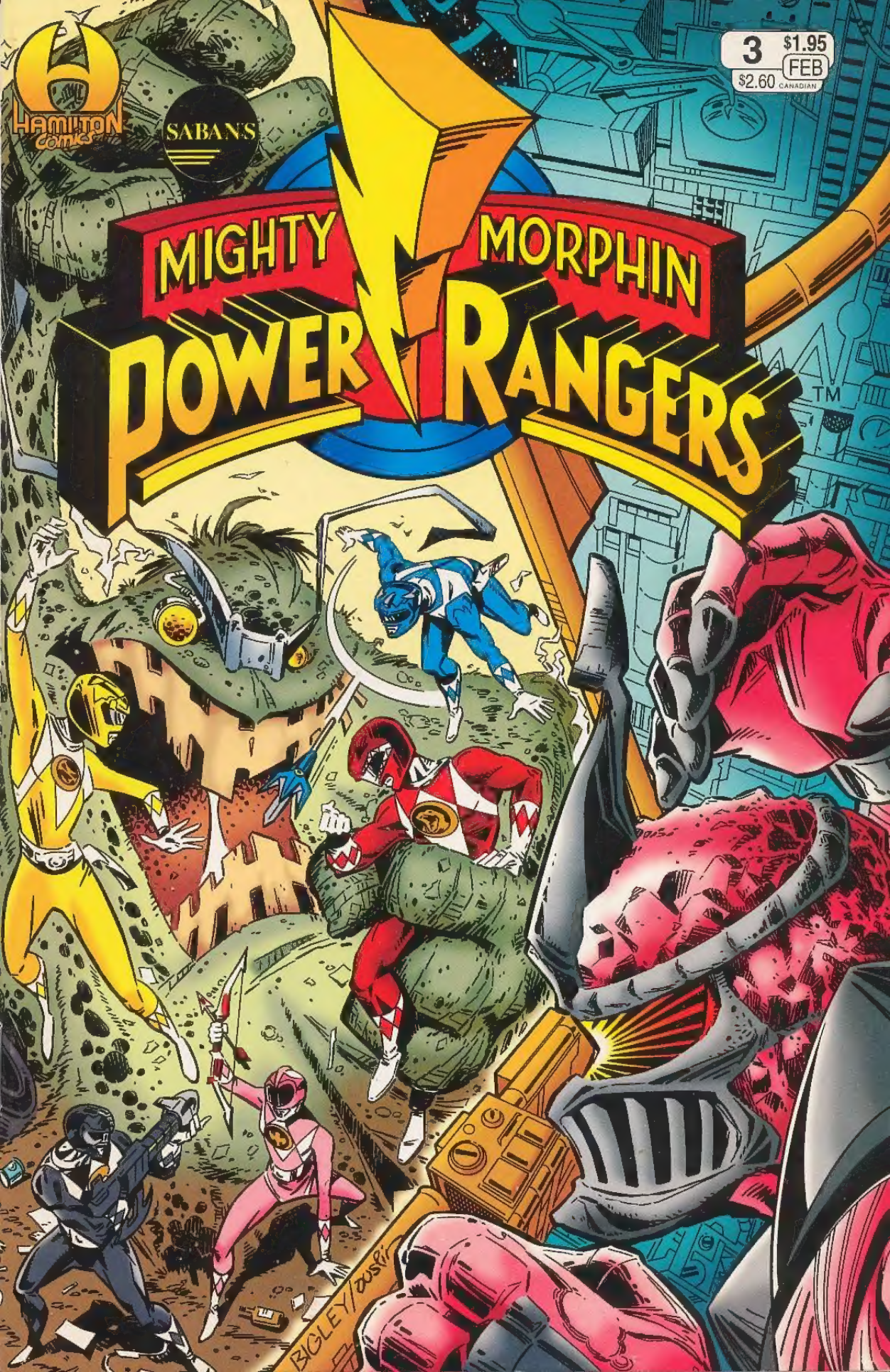
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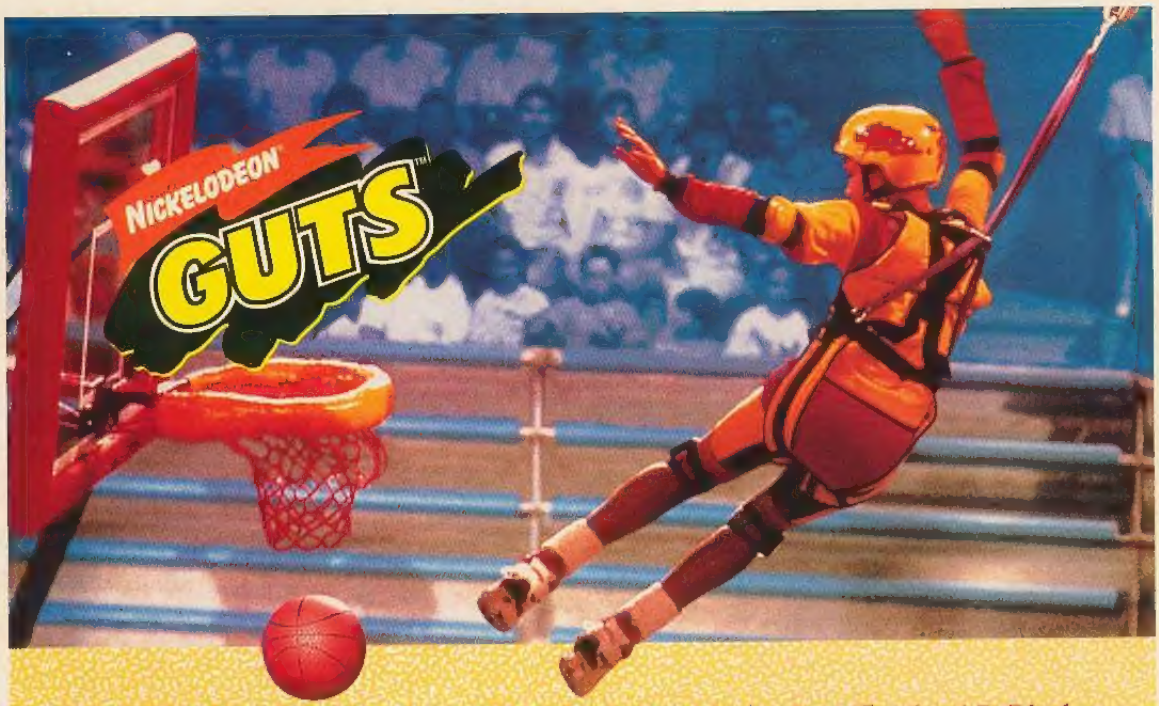

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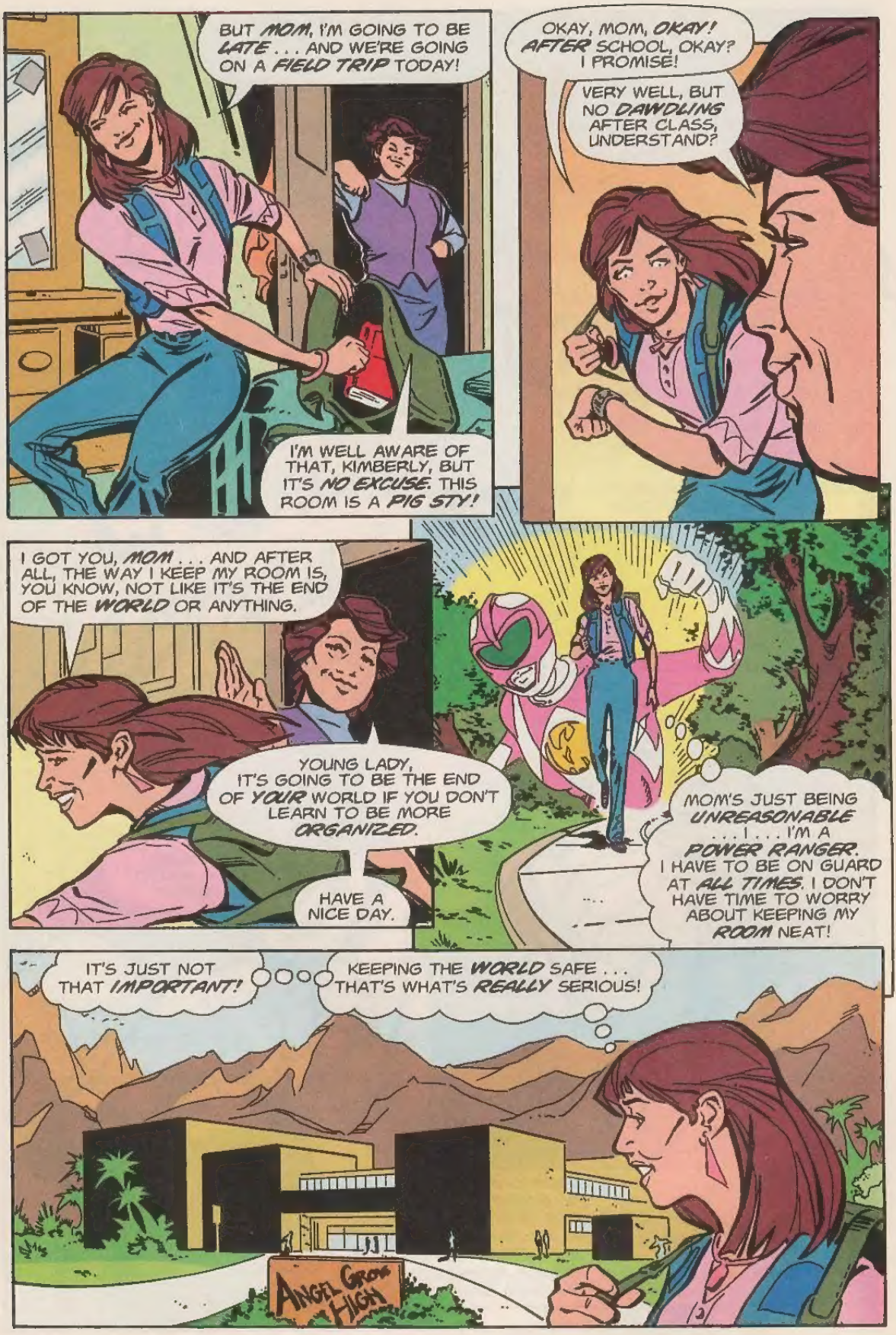
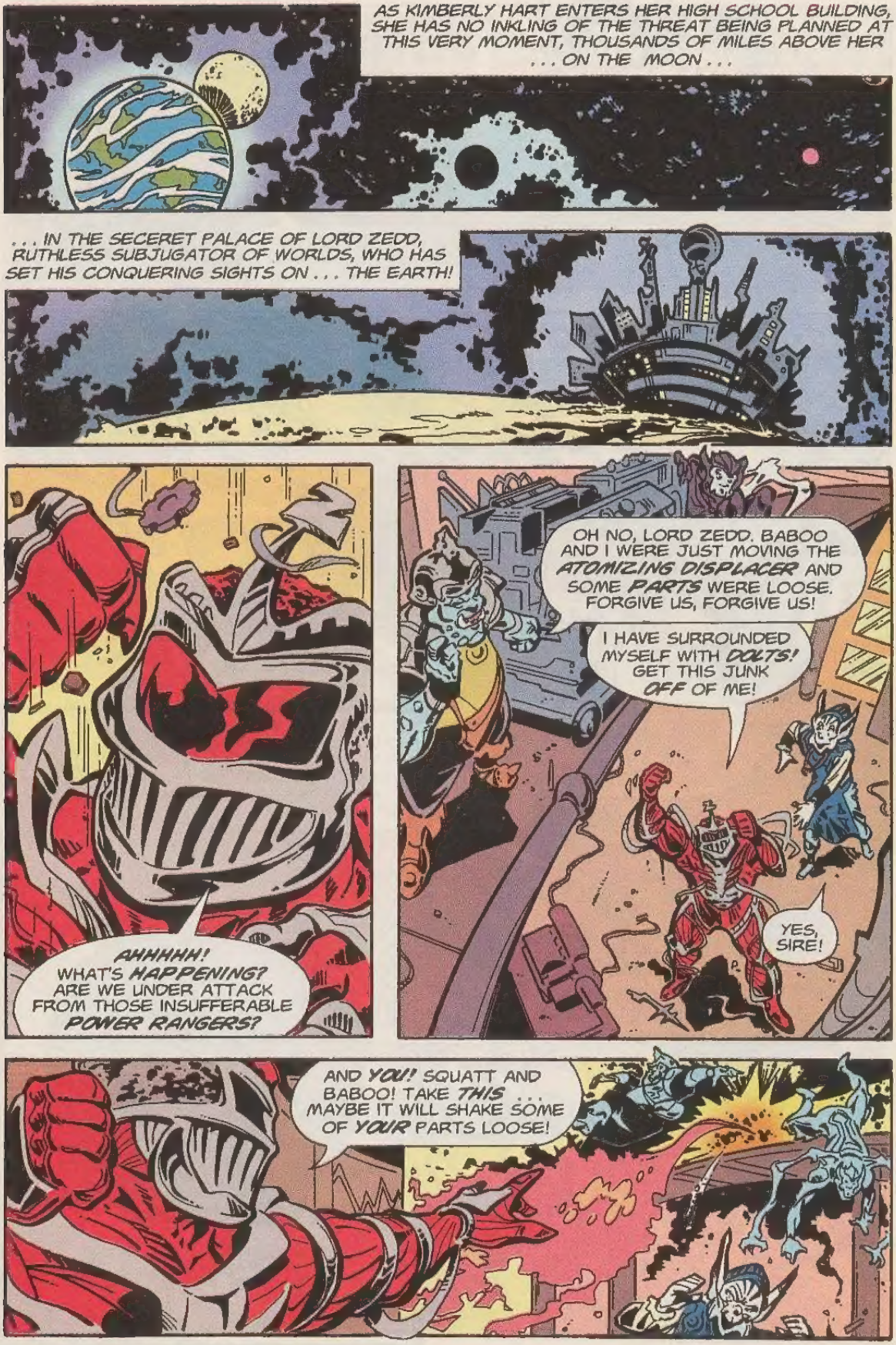
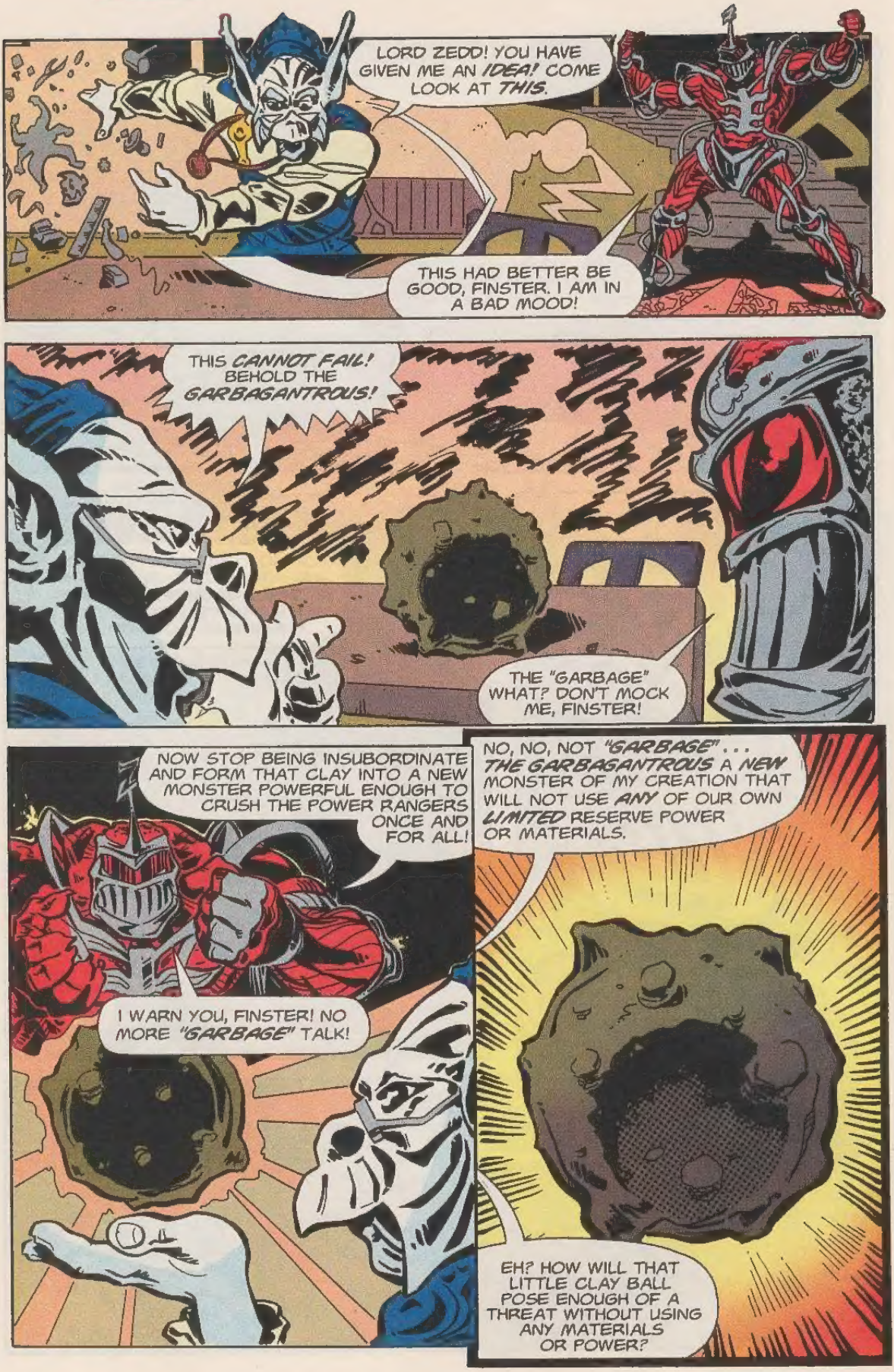
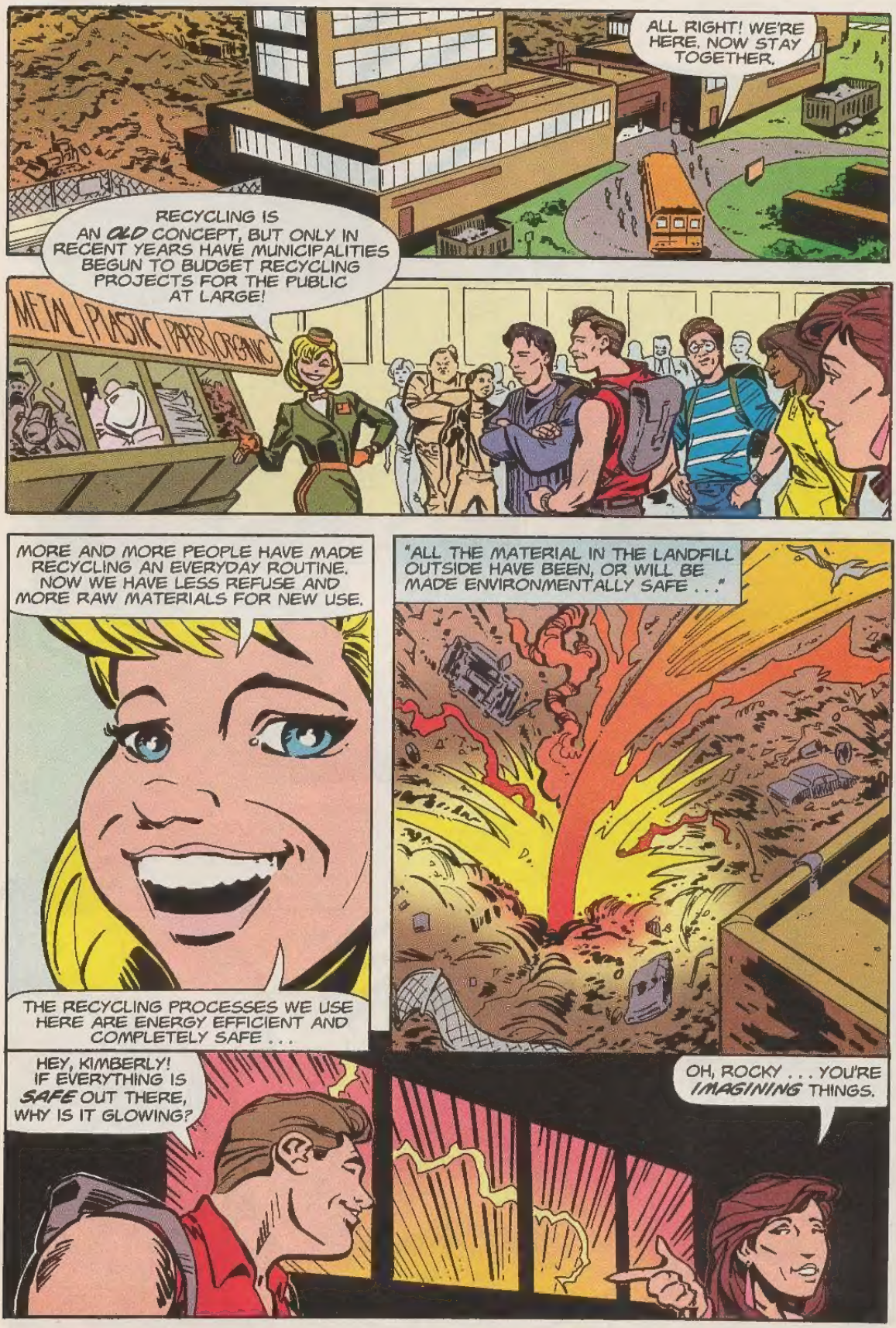

BUT MOM, I'M GOING TO BE LATE . . . AND WE'RE GOING ON A FIELD TRIP TODAY!
I'M WELL AWARE OF THAT, KIMBERLY, BUT IT'S NO EXCUSE. THIS ROOM IS A PIG STY!
OKAY, MOM, OKAY! AFTER SCHOOL, OKAY? I PROMISE!
VERY WELL, BUT NO DAWDLING AFTER CLASS, UNDERSTAND?
I GOT YOU, MOM . . . AND AFTER ALL, THE WAY I KEEP MY ROOM IS, YOU KNOW, NOT LIKE IT'S THE END OF THE WORLD OR ANYTHING.
YOUNG LADY, IT'S GOING TO BE THE END OF YOUR WORLD IF YOU DON'T LEARN TO BE MORE ORGANIZED.
HAVE A NICE DAY.
MOM'S JUST BEING UNREASONABLE . . . I . . . I'M A POWER RANGER. I HAVE TO BE ON GUARD AT ALL TIMES. I DON'T HAVE TIME TO WORRY ABOUT KEEPING MY ROOM NEAT!
IT'S JUST NOT THAT IMPORTANT!
KEEPING THE WORLD SAFE . . . THAT'S WHAT'S REALLY SERIOUS!
ANGEL GROVE HIGH


AS KIMBERLY HART ENTERS HER HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING, SHE HAS NO INKLING OF THE THREAT BEING PLANNED AT THIS VERY MOMENT, THOUSANDS OF MILES ABOVE HER . . . ON THE MOON . . .
. . . IN THE SECERET PALACE OF LORD ZEDD, RUTHLESS SUBJUGATOR OF WORLDS, WHO HAS SET HIS CONQUERING SIGHTS ON . . . THE EARTH!
AHHHHH! WHAT'S HAPPENING? ARE WE UNDER ATTACK FROM THOSE INSUFFERABLE POWER RANGERS?
OH NO, LORD ZEDD. BABOO AND I WERE JUST MOVING THE ATOMIZING DISPLACER AND SOME PARTS WERE LOOSE. FORGIVE US, FORGIVE US!
I HAVE SURROUNDED MYSELF WITH DOLTS! GET THIS JUNK OFF OF ME!
YES, SIRE!
AND YOU! SQUATT AND BABOO! TAKE THIS . . . MAYBE IT WILL SHAKE SOME OF YOUR PARTS LOOSE!


LORD ZEDD! YOU HAVE GIVEN ME AN IDEA! COME LOOK AT THIS.
THIS HAD BETTER BE GOOD, FINSTER. I AM IN A BAD MOOD!
THIS CANNOT FAIL! BEHOLD THE GARBAGANTROUS!
THE "GARBAGE" WHAT? DON'T MOCK ME, FINSTER!
NOW STOP BEING INSUBORDINATE AND FORM THAT CLAY INTO A NEW MONSTER POWERFUL ENOUGH TO CRUSH THE POWER RANGERS ONCE AND FOR ALL!
I WARN YOU, FINSTER! NO MORE "GARBAGE" TALK!
NO, NO, NOT "GARBAGE"... THE GARBAGANTROUS A NEW MONSTER OF MY CREATION THAT WILL NOT USE ANY OF OUR OWN LIMITED RESERVE POWER OR MATERIALS.
EH? HOW WILL THAT LITTLE CLAY BALL POSE ENOUGH OF A THREAT WITHOUT USING ANY MATERIALS OR POWER?

THE CLAY BALL IS MERELY THE CATALYST! IT WILL DRAW ALL THE POWER IT NEEDS TO DEFEAT . . .
. . . THE POWER RANGERS FROM THE VERY REFUSE OF HUMAN CIVILIZATION! WE'LL TURN THEIR OWN GARBAGE AGAINST THEM!
EXCELLENT! AND LOOK! THIS WHERE WE MUST SEND THIS AWESOME NEW CREATURE!
ANGEL GROVE LANDFILL & RECYCLING
LOAD IT, FINSTER . . . AND STAND BACK!
"THERE! PERFECT TRAJECTORY! SOON THE GARBAGE MONSTER WILL BURY THEM!"
"NOT 'GARBAGE MONSTER' . . . GARBAGANTROUS!"
"WHATEVER."

ANGEL GROVE LANDFILL & RECYCLING SITE
"RECYCLING SITE"? WOW, WHAT AN EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE . . . A TOUR OF A DUMP.
ANGEL GROVE
SKULL, A RECYCLING SITE IS NOT A DUMP!
YEAH, RECYCLING PROCESSES USED MATERIALS SO YOU CAN USE THEM AGAIN . . . A DUMP IS WHERE THINGS JUST SIT AND ROT!
ARE YOU INSULTING ME WITH THAT REMARK, MUSCLE GEEK?
MY GUM!
HEY, QUIT YOUR LITTERING!
UMMPH!!
HA HA HA ! THERE, SKULL YOU JUST "RECYCLED" YOUR GUM!
YEAH, AND THE IDEA SEEMS TO HAVE STUCK ON BULK! HA HA HA HA!


ALL RIGHT! WE'RE HERE, NOW STAY TOGETHER.
RECYCLING IS AN OLD CONCEPT, BUT ONLY IN RECENT YEARS HAVE MUNICIPALITIES BEGUN TO BUDGET RECYCLING PROJECTS FOR THE PUBLIC AT LARGE!
METAL
PLASTIC
PAPER
ORGANIC
MORE AND MORE PEOPLE HAVE MADE RECYCLING AN EVERYDAY ROUTINE. NOW WE HAVE LESS REFUSE AND MORE RAW MATERIALS FOR NEW USE.
THE RECYCLING PROCESSES WE USE HERE ARE ENERGY EFFICIENT AND COMPLETELY SAFE . . .
"ALL THE MATERIAL IN THE LANDFILL OUTSIDE HAVE BEEN, OR WILL BE MADE ENVIRONMENTALLY SAFE . . ."
HEY, KIMBERLY! IF EVERYTHING IS SAFE OUT THERE, WHY IS IT GLOWING?
OH, ROCKY . . . YOU'RE IMAGINING THINGS.

AS THE TOUR CONTINUES INSIDE, A STRANGE, LOW RUMBLING ROLLS OVER THE LANDFILL . . .
DRAWN CLOSER TOGETHER BY IRRESISTIBLE MAGNETIC FORCES, WHAT WAS HARMLESS REFUSE BECOMES AN AWESOME ENGINE OF DESTRUCTION . . .
HA HA HA HA! SUPERB! THE GARBAGANTROUS IS COMPLETE . . . "RECYCLING" THE EARTH'S OWN GARBAGE TO HELP SPEED IT'S ANNIHILATION! HA HA HA HA!
FROM HIS VANTAGE POINT ON THE FARAWAY MOON . . .

GUYS! AN ALERT FROM ZORDON!
IT'S MORPHIN TIME! TYRANNOSAURUS!
TRICERATOPS!
MASTODON!
SABER TOOTH TIGER!
WAIT! WAIT! OH, NO!
MY POWER COIN! I . . . I CAN'T FIND IT! I LEFT IN SUCH A HURRY, I FORGOT TO PICK IT UP!
WE HAVEN'T TIME TO WAIT FOR YOU, KIMBERLY!
RED RANGER! USE YOUR TELEPORT BEAM TO SEND KIMBERLY HOME FOR HER POWER COIN! I'LL GET HER TO YOU AS SOON AS I CAN. HURRY! HURRY!
YOU GOT IT, ZORDON. HOLD ON KIMBERLY!

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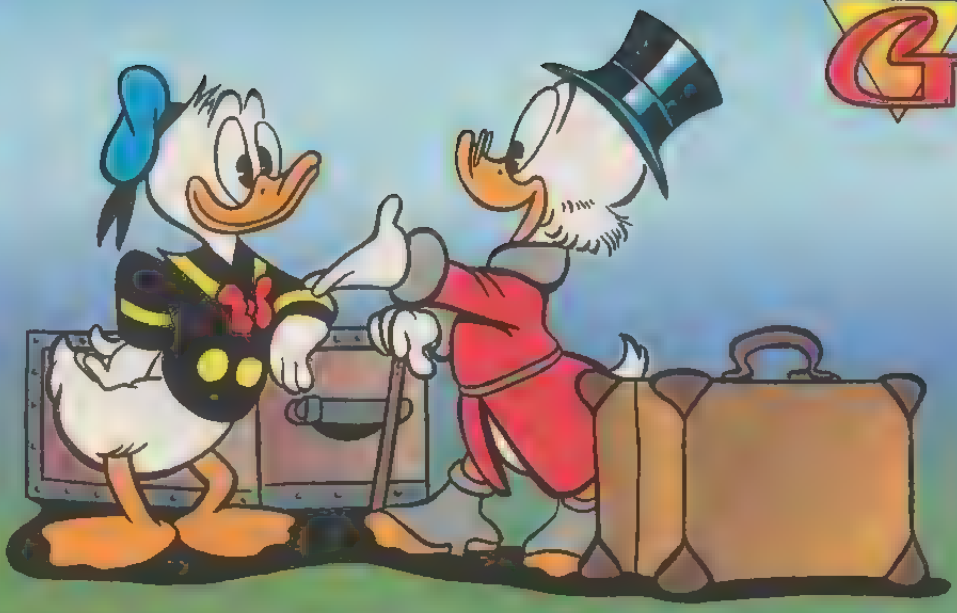

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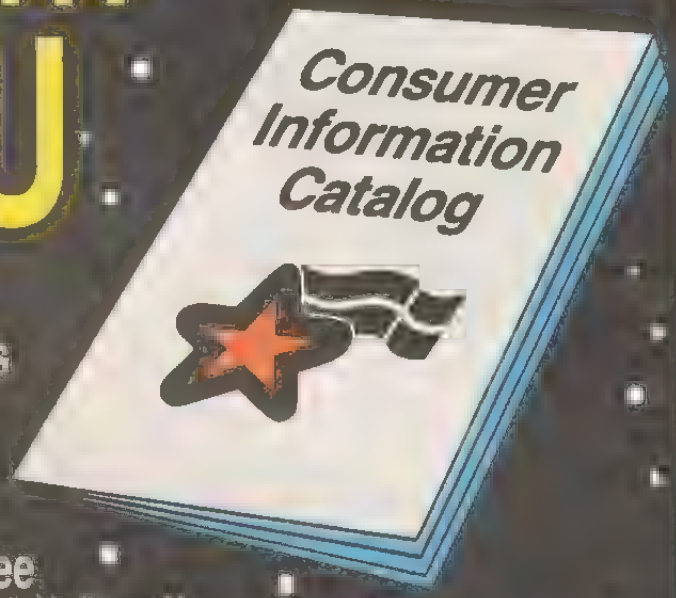
YOU MUST GO AND HELP HER SEARCH, ALPHA! HASTEN! TIME IS SHORT.
AYE YI YI, GREAT ZORDON! I'M ON MY WAY!
ALPHA! THANK GOODNESS YOU'RE HERE!
AYE YI YI YI! THIS PLACE IS A DISASTER AREA!

BACK AT THE RECYCLING SITE . . .
WE'RE ROLLIN' RANGERS! POWER WEAPONS AT READY!

THE POWER SWORD WILL . . . AHHH!
THE POWER AXE WILL . . . NO!
EVERY OFFENSIVE HAS BEEN COUNTERED BY THIS REFUSE CONTRAPTION! IT WILL NOT EVEN CAPITULATE TO THE POWER LANCE!
THE METAL! IT'S MAGNETIC POWER'S DEFLECTED THE POWER OF THE POWER DAGGER!
EVERY WEAPON IS DEFEATED! NOW FOR THE FINAL STRIKE! I SHALL MAKE THE GARBAGANTROUS TOWER OVER THEM ALL BEFORE THEY'RE CRUSHED!
LORD ZEDD NO!

AND UNAWARE OF THE IMPENDING DANGER TO HER COMRADES . . .
I KNOW I LEFT MY POWER COIN HERE! IT'S GOT TO BE AROUND HERE SOMEPLACE!
AYE YI YI! IT'S TIME FOR DRASTIC MEASURES! WE HAVE TO . . . CLEAN UP THIS ROOM!
I WISH I HAD DONE THIS WHEN MY MOTHER HAD ASKED ME TO . . . THEN NONE OF THIS WOULD HAVE HAPPENED!
HURRY! HURRY! HURRY!
IT'S HOPELESS! THE POWER COIN'S NOT HERE! I ONLY HOPE THE OTHER RANGERS CAN WIN WITHOUT ME!

MAY THE SOURCE BE WITH YOU



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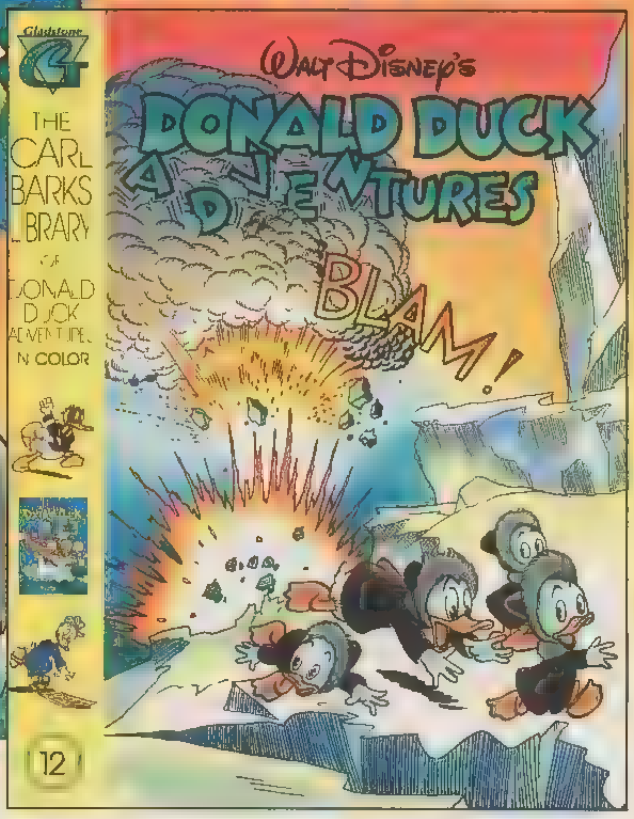

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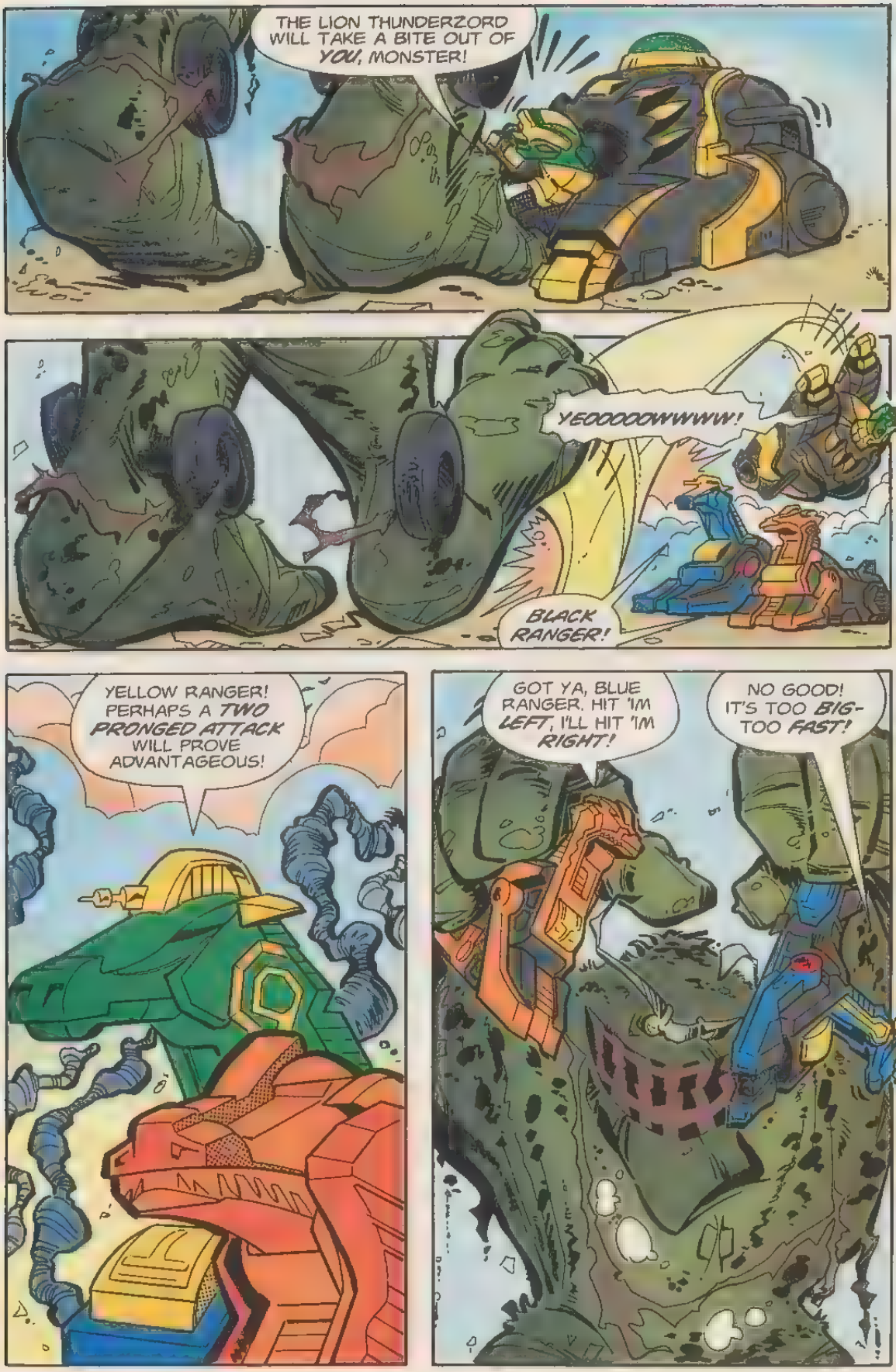
OH NO! LORD ZEDD'S ENLARGED IT!
WE'LL CALL ON THE MEGATHUNDERZORD - THEN WE CAN SMASH IT!
NO! THE MEGATHUNDERZORD CANNOT BE ACHIEVED WITHOUT THE CONDUCTIVE CONTRIBUTION OF THE PINK RANGER.
YEAH, AND WE NEED KIMBERLY TOO!

OKAY, WE'LL HAVE TO HOLD HIM OFF UNTIL THE PINK RANGER ARRIVES! TO THE THUNDER ZORDS!
POWER ON! UNICORN THUNDERZORD!
POWER ON! GRIFFIN THUNDERZORD!
POWER ON! LION THUNDERZORD!
POWER ON! RED DRAGON THUNDERZORD!

HIT IT HIGH AND LOW. WE'LL HOLD IT OFF UNTIL PINK RANGER ARRIVES.
IF SHE ARRIVES!
IT DUCKED! HOW CAN SOMETHING SO HUGE MOVE SO FAST?
TH-WAPP!
HIT 'IM LOW, POWER RANGERS!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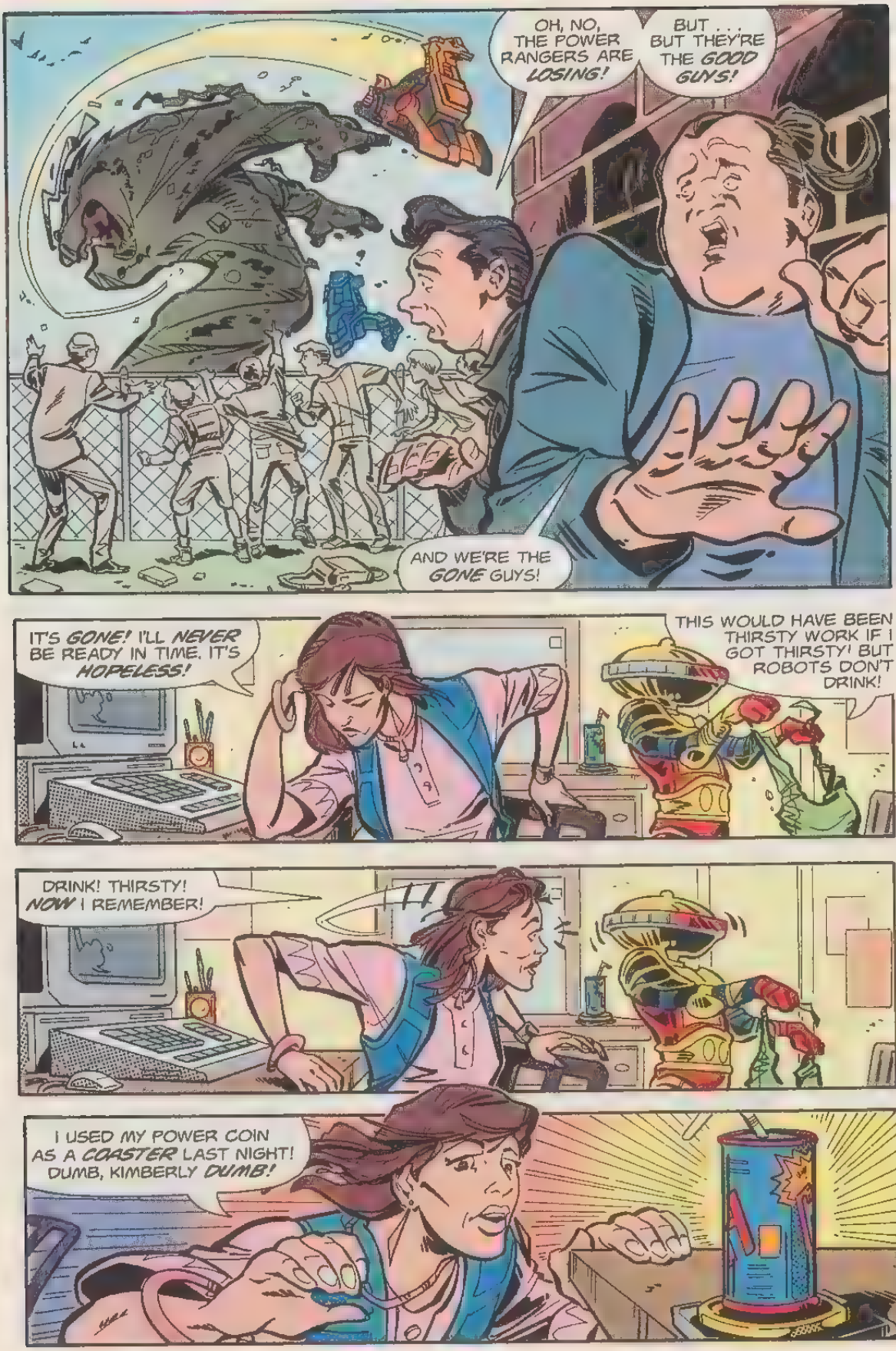
YEOOOOOWWWW!
BLACK RANGER!
YELLOW RANGER! PERHAPS A TWO PRONGED ATTACK WILL PROVE ADVANTAGEOUS!
GOT YA, BLUE RANGER. HIT 'IM LEFT, I'LL HIT 'IM RIGHT!
NO GOOD! IT'S TOO BIG- TOO FAST!


OH, NO, THE POWER RANGERS ARE LOSING!
BUT . . . BUT THEY'RE THE GOOD GUYS!
AND WE'RE THE GONE GUYS!
IT'S GONE! I'LL NEVER BE READY IN TIME. IT'S HOPELESS!
THIS WOULD HAVE BEEN THIRSTY WORK IF I GOT THIRSTY! BUT ROBOTS DON'T DRINK!
DRINK! THIRSTY! NOW I REMEMBER!
I USED MY POWER COIN AS A COASTER LAST NIGHT! DUMB, KIMBERLY DUMB!

PTERODACTYL!
AHA! THE SODA CAN! ITS METAL DEFLECTED MY SENSOR! GO NOW GO!
GET READY TO SOAR, FIRE BIRD THUNDERZORD!
WE'RE COMING, RANGERS! HOLD ON!

HERE IT COMES! IF ONLY WE COULD LINK UP AS THE MEGATHUNDERZORD - THEN WE'D HAVE A CHANCE!
I'M ALMOST OUT OF TIME. THIS IS MY LAST CHANCE!
SPLOOOSSHHH!
THIS IS IT! WE'RE GOING TO BE COMPLETELY COVERED BY GALLONS OF GLOBS OF GARBAGE!
DON'T LOOK FOR US THERE, UGLY - YOU MISSED!

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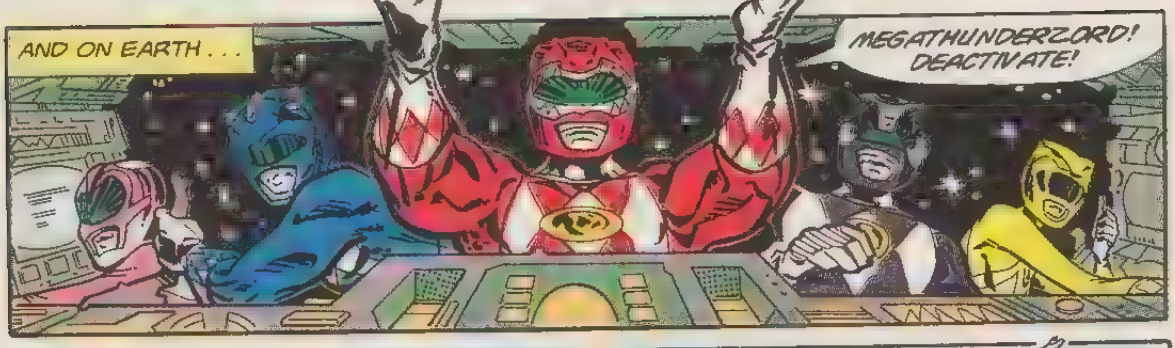
THE PINK RANGER MADE IT! NOW YOU WILL HAVE TO PICK ON SOMEBODY YOUR OWN SIZE!
GO! GO! POWER RANGERS!

NOW WE CAN "CONNECT" WITH YOU! AND IT'S TIME FOR RE-
-CYC-
-LING!
KLANG! KLIMPP! SQUISSH!
AND IN THE LUNAR PALACE OF LORD ZEDD . . .
FOOL! FOOL! YOUR GREAT GARBAGE MONSTER FAILED!
KRANG!
I TRIED TO TELL YOU! IT DIDN'T HAVE ENOUGH ENERGY TO HOLD THAT SIZE! WE WERE TRYING TO CONSERVE! AHHHH!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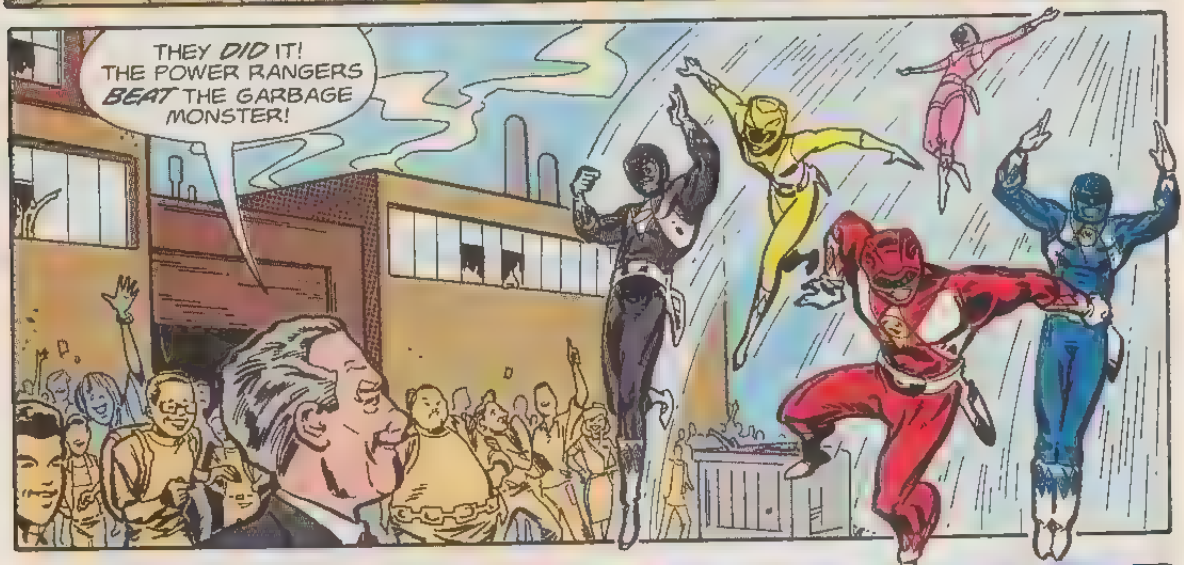
MEGATHUNDERZORD! DEACTIVATE!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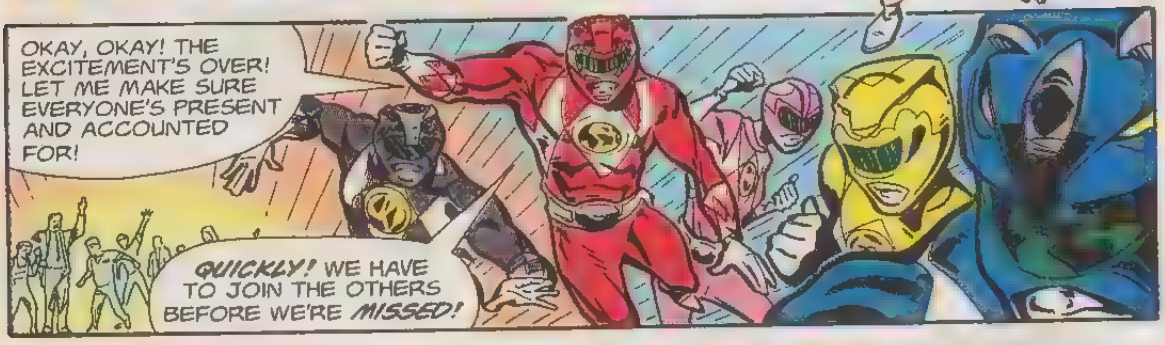
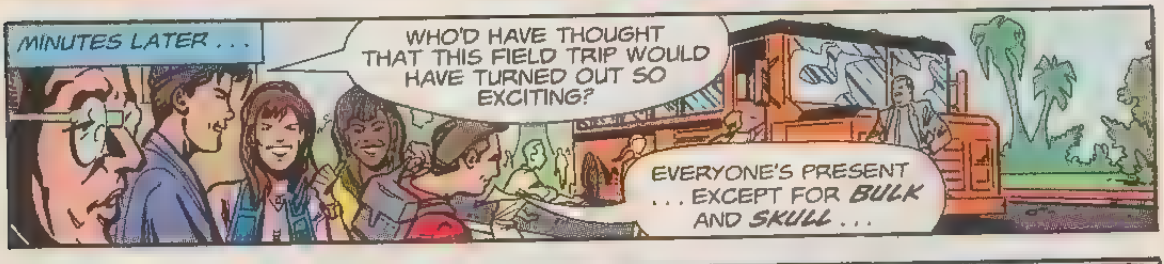
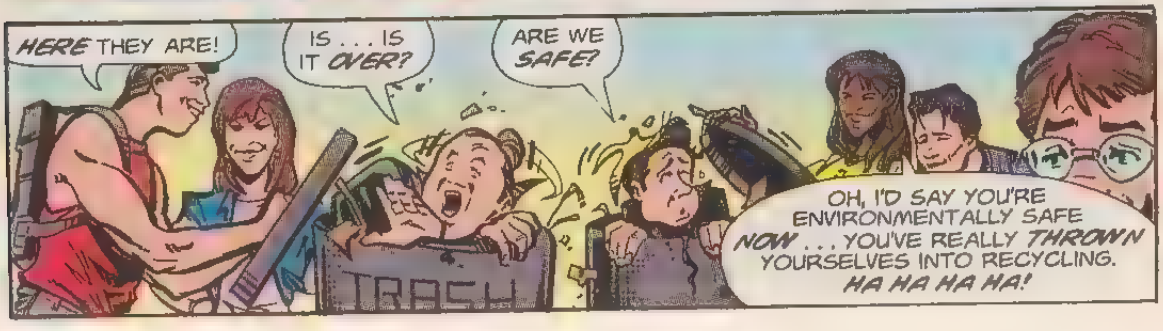
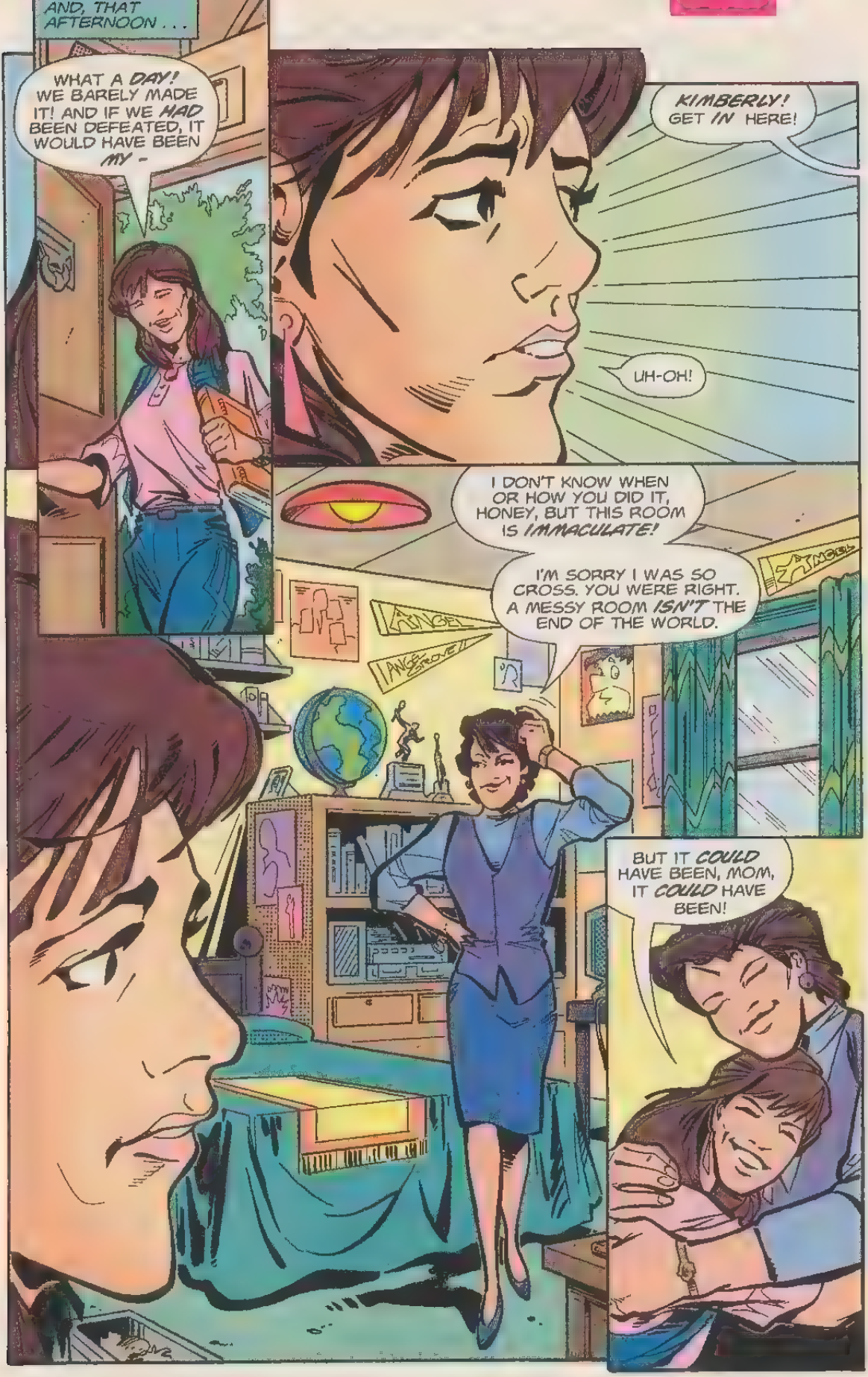

OKAY, OKAY! THE EXCITEMENT'S OVER! LET ME MAKE SURE EVERYONE'S PRESENT AND ACCOUNTED FOR!
QUICKLY! WE HAVE TO JOIN THE OTHERS BEFORE WE'RE MISSED!


MINUTES LATER . . .
WHO'D HAVE THOUGHT THAT THIS FIELD TRIP WOULD HAVE TURNED OUT SO EXCITING?
EVERYONE'S PRESENT . . . EXCEPT FOR BULK AND SKULL . . .


HERE THEY ARE!
IS . . . IS IT OVER?
ARE WE SAFE?
TRASH
OH, I'D SAY YOU'RE ENVIRONMENTALLY SAFE NOW . . . YOU'VE REALLY THROWN YOURSELVES INTO RECYCLING. HA HA HA HA!


AND, THAT AFTERNOON . . .
WHAT A DAY! WE BARELY MADE IT! AND IF WE HAD BEEN DEFEATED, IT WOULD HAVE BEEN MY -
KIMBERLY! GET IN HERE!
UH-OH!
I DON'T KNOW WHEN OR HOW YOU DID IT, HONEY, BUT THIS ROOM IS IMMACULATE!
I'M SORRY I WAS SO CROSS. YOU WERE RIGHT. A MESSY ROOM ISN'T THE END OF THE WORLD.
BUT IT COULD HAVE BEEN, MOM, IT COULD HAVE BEEN!

MORPHIN MAIL

*This issue reintroduces the team of writer Jack C. Harris and artist Al Bigley to the **Mighty Morphin Power Rangers** comic book. Why reintroduced? Well, Jack and Al did our **very first MMPR** comic book story back in the spring of last year–an 8-page tale in a mini-comic produced as a premium for Fruit-of-the-Loom. Though more of a novelty item than a part of our current Power Rangers series, that project demonstrated what Jack and Al could do with the feature, and this issue has given them the chance to really shine!*

***Important:** Hamilton Comics welcomes any and all correspondence concerning the **Mighty Morphin Power Rangers** comic book. However, anyone wishing to write to the Power Rangers **TV show** should send their cards and letters to: **Saban's Mighty Morphin Power Rangers**, P.O. Box 10277, Van Nuys, CA 91410-0277.*

Dear People,

I am writing to let you know how much I enjoyed **Mighty Morphin Power Rangers** #1. The writing was great–the drawings and colors were the best. I can't wait till issue #2 comes out.

Could I suggest something? Could you please have a pen pal column in future issues? There are a lot of fans who could connect and be friends. If you do have a pen pal column, please list my name and address.

You have done a great job on issue #1 and I can't wait to see what future issues will be.

Best of luck.

Doug Marion
P.O. Box 1180
Marshall, NC 28753

I'm a 37-year-old guy who has never seen an episode of **MMPR** or bought a single action figure of any kind. Maybe I ordered **MMPR** #1 with hopes of its value multiplying hundreds-fold (*a la* **Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles** #1), I don't know. All I know is after reading this issue, I am impressed with the artwork and the reading level portrayed therein. I hope the younger readers are holding their dictionaries nearby as they read the book—they'll need them.

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Keep up the quality work and may I wish you success.

Jim Bacigalupo
Braidwood, IL

Dear Editor,

I owed it to Gladstone/Hamilton to check out the debut of **Mighty Morphin Power Rangers**. Your Disney comics are among the best books on the market, and to get such a high-profile license like Power Rangers must mean you were doing something right. So I picked up #1.

Now, let me say this flat out: I detest the TV show. To me, it's labored by stiff acting, bad Japanese battle footage and simplistic writing. A "fad" show, in other words. Yet if I enjoyed the comic adaptation, it wouldn't be the first time. Both **Ren and Stimpy** and **Rocko's Modern Life** are cartoons I don't enjoy with comics which are, at times, rather good. And **The Simpsons**! Bongo puts out fantistic, solidly-done comics. And I can't stand the TV show, except on rare occasions. Enough about me, now something about you...

The story to #1 was the weakest part, relying heavily on clichés which may entertain younger readers, but are not to my taste: the dumb, "tuff" bully and the outrageous villains. But the latter can also work to an advantage: few comics today have the kind of old-fashioned, "all talk" kind of supervillains that were so prevalent in comics' Golden and Silver Ages. That kind of "fun" villain was present here, so I won't complain too much. I would have liked to know a little more about the scaly creature and his minions. You can't assume that everybody willing to give Hamilton a try is a died-in-the-wool fan, any more than you can expect a new Disney reader to figure out the Duck Family Tree! (I've been reading Gladstones a good 7, 8 years and still haven't the foggiest!)

"The Menace of Dracula" read quickly, which was another reason I found it weak. I'm not asking for anything deep here—it would defeat the purpose of the comic—but a little more substance would be nice. I know what you're capable of, as well as what the superhero genre is capable of (even for a toy/TV tie-in!) and you can do better.

The artwork to #1, on the other hand, was astonishing. Under a cover by Bret Blevins and the incomparable Terry Austin, the interiors stole my breath away with realistic human expressions as well as lush drawings in the fight sequence. The artist and the colorist, who imbued the work with wonderfully vivid colors, deserve much credit.

Well, I will pick up Power Rangers again, not only for the great artwork, but for the hopes that you'll make sense out of this odd phenomenon for me. Grade B footage and colorful costumes do not make a TV show, but clever writing (on your way) and lively art (already there) do make a comic book. On that note, I'll see you in 30 days.

Joey Marchese
Clark, NJ

Dear Lord Zedd,

I hope you find the cover to your brains! My favorite part in issue #2 is when we see how you see through your laser beams.

Sincerly,
Yonah Fuchs (7 years old)
Monsey, NY

Dear Hamilton Comics,

I love the Power Rangers comic very much. I read #1 and #2 five times! What I want to see is the White Ranger in the comics because I think he's the best Ranger.

Andy Rawls
Jamesville, NC

White Ranger makes his comic book debut next issue, Andy!

Heads up Hamilton!

Thanks for **MMPR** #1. It was a great way to give the series a good start. **MMPR** #2 was a

definite upgrade. It was faster, funnier & just had more fun about it. Seeing Ernie in action made me realize how underused he is on the show. Mauve & Puce Rangers? Yep, that's certified Bulk & Skull! When Ernie went into action as the Goatman & the Rangers (real & wannabes) came into the picture, it was a miracle I wasn't on the floor in stitches at the restaurant I was reading the book in!

Tommy's behavior in the book was in tune to his behavior on the show, including his change of heart thanks to Jason's reasoning with him.

MMPR #2 gets an A, but please, lighten up on Billy's extremely educated vocabulary. He's lightened up on the show & has even used the slang, "Yeah." Some folks may not like having to keep a dictionary handy to translate Billy's speech.

Thanks also for printing Mark "Troll" Trollinger's letter. It's good to know there's other 20-plus-year-old Ranger fans out there. I turned 22 in December.

I'd like to submit "Ranger Reading(s)" (singular or plural, your choice) as a letter column title.

Clint Christal
Trussville, AL

Dear Hamilton Comics,

Your first two issues of **Mighty Morphin Power Rangers** were excellent! I love the way you relate the comics and stories to the show, but also incorporate your own ideas. Your artists are great, the Rangers look just the same on TV except for a few pictures where they don't look anything like them. This is one comic that I'm really going to stick to! I want you to keep the old Rangers in the stories, though. I like the newer Rangers but Saban Entertainment should have not let the old ones go away. I hope they come back and show those wannabe Rangers what real power is! Other than this your comic is "Morphinominal!" Please, keep my favorite Rangers on and keep up the morphin work!

Christian Peña
Bronx, NY

I'm afraid that issue #2 marks the final appearance of the "old" Rangers, Christian, at least for the foreseeable future. Glad to know you still plan to stick with us, though.

Dear Morphin Mail,

I just finished reading the second issue of **Mighty Morphin Power Rangers**, and I have to admit, I was impressed. The art was fantastic—Kimberly really looked like Kimberly! Also, I was able to see Tommy. The story line was also rather cute, much like the show itself. After a rocky start, you managed to pull together a respectable comic book, not just more endless Power Ranger memorabilia.

I'm not sure you realize the potential of this Power Rangers comic you've invented. You have the chance to develop characters that, unfortunately, were dropped from the program, such as Richie, Angela, and Curtis. You have the opportunity to further develop the relationship between Tommy and Kimberly, which has nearly been totally ignored by Saban. I mean, come on, Tommy only kissed her **once**!

I have a few suggestions: first, get Tommy into the picture. make him White Ranger so he can join in on the action with his teammates. Also, make sure to write fully developed stories, and let them span over a few issues. And finally, consider developing Tommy and Kimberly's relationship. They are my favorite Rangers, and they're perfect for each other. Besides, every comic book needs a little romance.

Keep up the good work!

R. Dawson
Hillsdale, NJ

Couldn't agree more about the romance, R.! As for whether something of that sort develops between Tommy and Kimberly, we'll have to see what Saban decides to do (or not do) in that department.

Dear Power Publishers,

MMPR #2 was, if not exactly a complete turnaround from #1, at least a powerful step in the **right** direction! The cover was a 1000% improvement, and Don Markstein's story showed him more relaxed and involved with the Power Rangers and their world. I especially enjoyed the twist on the "monster of the moment" motif, which made clever use of the otherwise inexplicable and unwieldy fact that the **villain** knows who the Power Rangers really are, but they can't tell their friends and families?! (Somebody at Saban was not paying attention when they came up with that one!) As for John Heebink, he's finally been given a chance to showcase his abilities, which were only hinted at in his pencil work on Marvel's **Quasar**.

Keep improving like this, and you can definitely make mine **Morphin**!

Pamela Hartbauer
Kutztown, PA

Dear Mighty Morphin Editors,

Not only was your second issue of **MMPR** an exciting adventure with great art, but you had an appearance by my all-time favorite Ranger: the Green Ranger! Even though he didn't have his powers, Tommy was still a hero who deserved his moment in the spotlight! My only regret is that this probably means this is the last time we'll ever see the Green Ranger, right?

Another thing I liked was Bulk and Skull, and how they really aren't such bad guys. In fact, they want to be good guys, they just don't have a clue how to really go about it! They're such showoffs they don't realize what a serious business being a real hero is. Thank goodness they don't have any powers, or they'd really give the hero business a bad name!

Until Mr. Kaplan decides to get in on the action as the Scarlet-With-Purple-Accents Ranger, I'll sign myself...

"Morphin" Mike Swasey
Palo Alto, CA

That's all the letters we have space for this go-round. While we can't promise to print every letter that we receive, we read every one, so don't hesitate to drop us a line.

By the way, the nominating process for a title for this letter column is still underway. Any and all suggestions are welcome!

NEXT ISSUE:

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Happy holidays,

Mike Kryston

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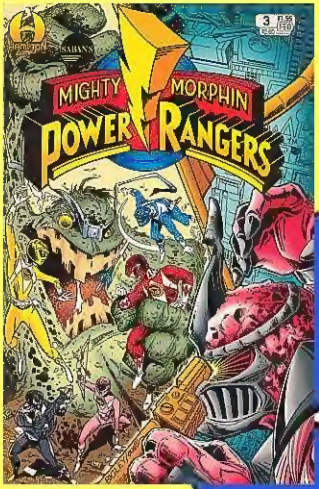

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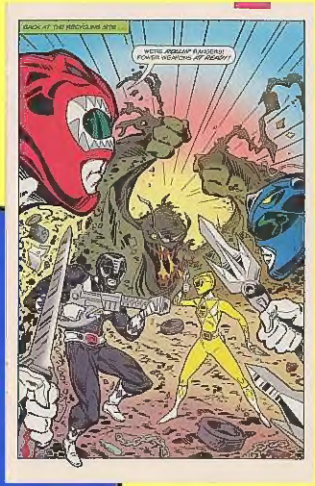

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